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### **ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN DESHA COUNTY**

**LITTLE ROCK (6-2)** -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Desha County, according to Commission Vice Chairman R. Madison Murphy of El Dorado.

The purpose of the project is to resurface approximately 7.5 miles of selected sections of Highway 1, near McGehee. R.M. Courson, Inc. of Hamburg, Arkansas, was awarded the contract at \$1,439,986.98.

“This project will begin at McGehee and continue northward to Highway 4,” stated Murphy.

Murphy said work could begin on the project in two to four weeks, weather permitting. Completion is expected in September of this year.

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